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SHELBY COUNTY RESIDENT SENTENCED TO EIGHTY-SEVEN MONTHS FOR MANUFACTURING METHAMPHETAMINE

COUNCIL BLUFFS, IA - On April 26, 2011, Rodney Dean Brewer, age 50, of Shelby County, Iowa, was sentenced to 87 months of imprisonment for manufacturing methamphetamine at his residence in Shelby County, Iowa. United States District Judge John E. Jarvey also ordered Brewer to serve a four year term of supervised release following incarceration.

Brewer had entered a guilty plea in federal court in Council Bluffs, Iowa, on January 14, 2011, to intent to manufacture methamphetamine on or about July 26, 2010. On July 26, 2010, law enforcement in Shelby County, Iowa, served a search warrant on Brewer's residence located at 4235 Union Street, Elk Horn, Iowa, and located an active methamphetamine manufacturing process in the residence. During the investigation by law enforcement it was determined that Brewer had been actively manufacturing for over six months at the residence.

This case was prosecuted by the United States Attorney's Office for the Southern District of Iowa. The investigation was conducted by the Shelby County Sheriff's Office, the Audubon County Sheriff's Office, the SWIN Task Force, the Shelby County Attorney's Office, and the Division of Narcotics Enforcement.

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